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#### **DEATHS OF FATHER AND SON** OCCUR WITHIN FEW HOURS.

Only One Coffin Will Be Used at Funeral of Charles Bade and Baby Boy.

Only one coffin will be used to-day at the funeral of Charles Bade of No. 2410 North Second street and his 6-months-old baby boy, both of whom died Sunday of pneumonia after a two days' illness. Bade contracted a cold last Friday, The

next day the disease was pronounced pneumonia, which resulted in death Sun-Willie Bade, the baby, was also taken ill

Friday and died Sunday afternoon, a few hours after its father.

The funeral services will be held this afternoon. Hade was 45 years old, and for many years had been employed at the St. Louis works of the National Enameling

#### Real Estate Transfers.

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AUBERT—30 ft., w. s., being 735 Aubert, city block 376; Ellia Todd to Maurice Estinger and wife—w. d. ... \$ 5,000 EENTON—35 ft., n. s., bet. Nincteenth and Twentieth, city block 110; August E. Betthoff and wife to John Henry Hrockschmidt et al.—w. d. ... 1,100 ELEELTh.—30 ft., s. s., west of Ecoff, city block 4319; Charles Hechs to Joseph W. Verborg—w. d. ... being 5123 Cabanne, city block 5146; Evewood Realty Company to Mary L. Sipple—w. d. DELMAR—35 ft. 5 in. n. s., being 4128 Delmar, city block 4574; William Z. McCormick to Maria z. Burnett—w. d. DELMAR—35 ft. 5 in., n. s., being 4128 Delmar, city block 4574; Helen B. McNair and husband to William Z. McCormick—40. d. ... ... 1 Cormick—que. d. s. bet. Marcus and Cote Brilliante, city block 57:9; Rosalio E. Greutt et. al to the Orcutt Storage, Packing and Moving Co.—w. d. EASTON—19 ft., n. s., bet. Marcus and Cote Brilliante, city block 57:9; Lulu McClure to Rosalvo E. Orcutt et al.—w. d.

McChurs to Rosalvo E. Orcutt et al.—
w. d.
EVANS—35 ft, n. s., bet. Grand and
Francis, city block 1859: Freed Lohman
and wife to Mary Farrell—w. d.
EPCLID—25 ft. 1 inch. w. s., being 77
Euclid, city block 3764: William A.
Wilcox and wife to Alice Crookes
Powell—w. d.
FOUNTAIN—30 ft. n. s., bet. Bayard
and Euclid, city block 3769; Robert H.
Lating to Nora B. and Hugh F. Brey
w. d. w. d. POREST PARK-II3 ft. n. a. bet. Boyle and Newstead, city block 3805; Henry E. Reach and wife to interstate Reality and Improvement Co.-w. d. FRANKLIN-39 ft., n. s., bet. Tenth and Eleventh, city block 269; Pauline S. Schnell et al. to John Beach Lans-w. d. B. Schnell et al. to John Beach Lawy
W. d. FINNEY-31 ft., s. s., bet. Newstead
and Pendleton, city block 4551; Thomas
J. Cozzens to Oliver T. Sweet-w. d...
GIHSON-25 ft., n. s., bet. Newstead
and Taylor, city block 5111; James
Keane and wife to Mary A. Vocker-

GHSON-25 ft., n. s., bet. Newstead and Taylor, city block Sill; James Keane and wife to Mary A. Vocker—w. d.

NDIANA-35 ft., w. s., bet. Lynch and Pestalozzi, city block 1839; Mary Benshah to Bernard Saller—w. d.

LEONARD-35 ft. e. s. south of Easton, city block 1986; Hugh F. Brey and wife to Terence Martin—w. d.

MINERVA-35 ft., s. s., being NO. 5183
Minervo, city block 250; Lillie Durney and Massand to Clemmie Britton—w. d.

MADISON-25 ft., s. s., bet. Hair and Fritteenth, city block 250; Conrad Wigge and wife et al. to Maria Hillman and bushand—w. d.

MADISON-25 ft., s. s., bet. Hair and Fritteenth, city block 250; also 152 ft. ft. n. s. s. e. cor. Twelfth, city block 250; Peper Tobacco Warehouse Co., by trustee, to Christian Peper, Jr. et al.—tr.

NOETH FIONT—Nixis ft. bet. Ettel and Hamilton, w. of Hodiamors, city block 250; Peper Tobacco Warehouse Co., by trustee, to Christian Peper, Jr. et al.—tr.

NOETH FIONT—Shifts ft. bet. Wroming and Unih, city block 150; Hacussler Insertyman to William C. Pitchett et al.—tr.

NEBRASKA-96 ft., e. s., bet. Wroming and Unih, city block 150; Hacussler investment Co. to John G. Stumpf and wife—w. d.

ORETGASKA-96 ft., e. s., bet. Wroming and Unih, city block 150; Albert A. Slavik and wife to August Kopf and wife—w. d.

ORETGASKA-96 ft. s. s., bet. Utah and Cherokee, city block 150; Paul D. Saum and wife to August Kopf and wife—w. d.

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Hogel to John P, Mehan and wifew d
PAUD-109 ft. n. s. n. w. cor Spring.
City block 1865: Miriam M. Sluder to
Mary L. Thebo et al.-w. d. (undwided
one-tenth interest)
PACE-100 ft. n. s. n. w. cor. Spring.
City block 1865: Edwin A. Sluder to
Mary L. Thebe et al.-w. d. (undwided
one-tenth interest)
SCANLON-ES ft. n. s. bet. Morgan Ford
Road and Alfred; City block 2565:
Thomas H. White and wife to John
Thillies and wife-w. d.
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Thillies Co. to Franceska Skehelichess
Realty Co. to Franceska Skehelichess
EMPLE BLACE-25 ft. Conter. Her-Realty Co. to Franceszka Stachelchess — w d

TEMPLE PLACE—25 ft., center line, bet Minerva and Page, city block 19452. Ernest K. Drees and wife to John H. Broad, Jr. and wife—w,d...

WASH—101 ft., n. s., S. E. Cor. Sixteenth, city block 545, Albert Gerst and wife to Henry Andreas—at. c. d. WILMINGTON ROAD—30 ft., s., bet. Virginia and Alabama, city block 2910, Wilmington Investment Co. to Ella Was-Hingtons—50 ft., n. s., bet. Chancing C. Helnechus to John H. Baser—w d.

#### EMINENT CHEMIST DIES.

Doctor E. A. De Schweinitz Suc cumbs to Uraemic Poisoning Washington, Feb. 15 .- Boctor E. A. part St. Bridget's Parish will have in the Agricultural Department, and one of the foremost chemists in the country, died here to-day of uraemia. In recent years he had been dean of the Medical School of the Columbian University.

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# Don't Worry SAYS DISCREPANCIES ARE DUE TO AGE.

Bertillon Expert Accounts for Difference Between Rudolph's and Gorney's Measurements.

#### BODY MARKS ARE IDENTICAL.

Question as to Who Will Receive Reward for Capture Agitates Members of Posse That Caught Safeblowers.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Leavenworth, Kas., Feb. 15.-Sheriff T. B. Brush of Union, Mo., and police officials from St. Louis, are expected at the Kansas Penitentiary to-morrow morning to see if they can identify the prisoner,

Charles Gorney, as William Rudolph. The prisoner still stoutly maintains that he knows nothing about Rudolph, and never was in St. Louis. When it was told to Gorney this afternoon that St. Louis officials were en route to identify him, he

"Let 'em come; they don't know me. Give me a cigar and let's talk about something else."

By request of E. B. Jewett, the Warden of the Penitentiary, M. W. McClaughrey, record cierk at the United States Penitentiary, a Bertillon expert, and John Glynn, city jailer here, visited the Kansas Penitentiary this afternoon and measured Gorney.

ments taken of Rudolph about two years ago. The measurements of Gorney to-day differed a little, but the marks and scars were exactly the same. The mole on the left side of the nose and the scar above the eye and on the hand are exactly the

McClaughrey states that the difference in Bertillon measurements is due to age, and he says that the prisoner entered under the name of Gorney is Rudolph. Gorney showed temper and nervousne when the visitors with measuring instru-ments came to him. He did not offer any resistance when he learned they were not detectives. He refused to answer any

questions as to his past life.

Gorney will not be worked in the cial mine at present, but will be kept under a close guard until it is determined wheth-

er he is to remain here.

The question as to who will get the \$7,-500 reward for the capture, should Gorney be identified as Rudolph, is being discussed Although the man known as Gorney wa captured by more than 200 men, it is said that W. C. Downs of Wagstaff actually made the capture, as he stopped him with a shot. Other men who were in the chase are beginning to look up their chances.

Thomas Rogers, who was captured with Gorney, and tried for the same crime for

which the latter is serving a sentence, is still in jail at Paola, awaiting the arrival of the Harrisonville Sheriff with requisition papers to take him to Missouri for trial on the charge of stealing the team at Cleveland, Mo.
When the men were capturwed and

placed in the jail at Paola Sheriff A. H. Jelly had reasons to believe that Gorney was Rudolph, and worked on that the ory; but, as the description of Rudolph sent him from St. Louis did not fit the description of the man in jall in many particulars, especially in height, he decided that he was mistaken.

Nelson W. Bush, the Pinkerton detective who identified Gorney as "Bill" Rudolph, said to-day that he had not received infurther action.

#### **AUTOMOBILE WRECKS BUGGY; BROTHER AND SISTER HURT.**

Kate and George Eller, Jr., Throws Out When Nugent's Machine Strikes Vehicle.

George Eiler, Jr., and his sister, Kate were thrown from their buggy Sunday afternoon and injured in a collision with an automobile on the Lemay Ferry road, near Point Breeze.

The automobile was driven by a man named Nugent, who was going in a south-Both drivers were slow in turning out of the road, and the collision was the result. Eller's buggy was turned over and

Both brother and sister escaped being Both brother and sister escaped being dragged, as the horse they were driving ran away. They were bruised, but not seriously injured.

Nugent took them in his automobile and drove to their home, near Oakville, where he left them, after promising to settle for any damages sustained on account of the collision.

Eller 's 18 years old. His sister is two years younger.

Frightened Burglars With Shots. Bernard Simner fired several shots at three men who he found trying to force an entrance to his home at No. 3631 Dodier street yesterday morning about 5 o'clock. Awakened by a noise at the back door, Simner went to the kitchen to investigate. As he opened the door three men ran from the porch. Simner fired at them, but does not know whether he hit any of them.

Educators Will Go to Atlanta, Ga. F. Louis Soldan, Superintendent of In-struction, and Ben Blewitt, Assistant Su-perintendent of Instruction, will attend the meeting of the department of super February 23, 24 and 25,

### WITH FEASTING AND MUCH NOISE CHINESE CELEBRATE NEW YEAR.



John Chinaman celebrates New Year's with much revelry.

trumpets and the waving of Chinese flags. the fifteen days festival which marks the opening of the Chinese New Year was begun yesterday in Hop Alley and the Chinese quarter in the vicinity of Eighth and |

With the last stroke of twelve Sunday night the celebration began, and for an nour noise and confusion reigned in Chinatown. The celebration continued throughout the day and during the evening. Fre-quently there would be a ball in the deminstration, and then the calm would suddenly be disturbed by the reports of thousands of fire crackers.

At times the noise was equal to the

rapid discharge of firearms, such as acrapid discharge of firearms, such as accompanies an infantry battle. The greater
the noise the more gleefully did John
Chinaman dance about in the street and
cheer for his fatherland in the Orient.

If the present grave war situation in the
far East worried the Chinese population
of St. Louis, they gave no expression of
their fears. Nothing was allowed to interrupt the celebration of the glad new
year.

The unique ceremonies and general hilarity which attends the New Year's demonstration attracted hundreds of visitors to the Chinese quarter. Scores of persons ignorant of Chinese customs walked through Hop Alley and watched the celebration with interest. This curi-

Amid the glare of red fire, the sound of costs on the part of Americans was amusing to the Celestials, who sounded their tin horns all the louder as the strangers

tin horns all the louder as the strangers passed.

New Your's means more to the Chinese than it does to any other nationality. Business is entirely suspended on the first day of the year and very little business is transacted during the first fifteen days. All is gayety and amusement.

During the hours intervening between demonstrations in the streets the Chinese play fan tan, the great national gambling game. As they sit about the tables watching the play they drink rice wine from long-necked bottles and smoke brown cigarettes which are peculiarly scented.

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The Chinaman has less to worry him on New Year's Day than on any other day of the year. On that day at least he is out of debt. The last day of the old year is the time for paying debts.

It is considered a disgrace to start in the new year with the last year's bills tanaid. Those who can't pay hide themselves.

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Another custom, which they carry out literally is paying New Year's calls. Every Chinaman has his own visiting card printed on a big sheet or red paper, and when he makes his call he exchanges cards with his host.

Last night in Hop Alley the demonstration was suspended and the Celesthals congregated at the Chinese stores, where they could play fan tan. They are Chinese sweetmeats and drank their favorite rice wine for hours, at times chanting marrily the national hymns of the Flowery Kingdom.

# HAPPENINGS IN ILLINOIS CITIES AND TOWNS.

### LOWDEN VISITS ST. CLAIR COUNTY.

Candidate's Reception Not So Enthusiastic as That Accorded to Governor Yates.

Colonel Frank O. Lowden of Chicago, andidate for the Republican nomination for Governor of Illine's, spent yesterday in St. Clair County. In the morning he held a levee at the Royal Hotel, East St. Louis, in the afternoon he made friends at Belleville, and in the evening he met the Republicans at O'Fallon.

Compared with the recent visit of Governor Yates to the East Side, Colonel Lowden's reception fell flat. There were less than a dozen East St. Louis Republicans

ty. Prominent among the East St. Louis men around him were State Representative W. E. Trautman, Postmaster Henry F. Bader and former State's Attorney Martin D. Baker.

After the reception at the Royal Hotel Colonel Lowden, with several friends, went to the home of John J. McLean, Jr., chairman of the City Central Committee, who has been confined to his home by illness.

ness.

At Belleville Colonel Lowden was welcomed by M. L. Munnle, James A. Willoughby, Postmaster Jehn E. Thomas, G. C. Rebhan and others. Several accompanied him to O'Fallon.

#### ST. LOUIS COUPLE ELOPES.

Charles Spiess and Rose Inglis Mar ried on East Side by Justice. Three couples secured marriage licenses in East St. Louis yesterday and were married by Justice of the Peace James M.

Beach in his office on Main street.

A marrialge license had been refused to Charles Spiess and Rose Inglis at Belleville, where they gave their ages as 21 ville, where they gave their ages as 21 and 18 years. At East St. Louis they said that they were 22 and 19 years old. They told Judge Beach that the wedding would be a big surprise to their relatives and friends. The bride has been visiting a friend of the family for the last week.

The other couples were Henry Brunkhurst, 31, and Mrs. Esther White, 34, both of East St. Louis, and Alonzo G. Coffield, 23, and Ethel M. Spears, 17, both of East St. Louis.

#### DEATH OF W. S. PUTNAM Justice Had Lived in East St. Louis

for Twenty-Five Years. W. S. Putnam, Justice of the Peace, of East St. Louis, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. James Sullivan, No. 1022 Louis avenue, yesterday morning. He was 64 years old and was born in Warrenton, Ga. He lived in East St. Louis for a quarter of a century. He was elected a Justice of the Peace three years A wife, four sons and a daughter survive. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon. The burial will be in Mount Hope Cemetery. During the Civil War he was a member of the telegra-

SAYS HE FOUND REVOLVER. Justice Gives Three Months to Negro

phers' corps.

remarked Justice of the Peace James M. Beach of East St. Louis to Monroe Clay, a negro, arrested on a charge of carrying a concealed weapon. To show you how little I believe your story I will sentence you to a term of three months at the County Workhouse. This will teach you to leave weapons alone, and if you should accidentally find one in your house, you will not disturub it."
Clay told Justice Beach that he found the revolver beneath the bed in his room, in which no one but himself slept. He said that as he found it he carried it around with him to show to some friends. for Carrying Weapon.

East St. Louis Items. -Leo D. Lillie has returned from Staunton,

-Mrs. John J. Faulkner is visiting in Louis-ville, Ky. -Mrs. M E. Johnson will entertain the members of the Ladies Literary Circle Thurs-day afternoon.

East Side Realty Transfers Real estate transfers filed for record in Befle-

wille yesterday were:
William Herring et al by Master to Margareth Nierman, lots 13 and part 19 Burghard's addition to Belleville; Marshal's deed, 11.5%.
R. V. Clark to Eugene Latinette, lote 1 and 34; block 2; Alta Sita Heights; warranty deed; 30. Minnie Koengstein and husband to Ralph Alert, lot 11, Koenigstein's Heights: section 23, waship 2, north road 7 west; warranty deed;

Freight Train Crew Injured.

J. H. Rightmeyer of East St. Louis, a reight conductor, and James Winters of Hotel, while on the occasion of Governor Yates's visit a hundred politicians sat at the same table.

Colonel Lowden was received by the anti-Yates element of the Republican party. Prominent among the East St. Louis men around him were State Representative. W

Marriage licenses issued in Belleville yesterday were to Jacob D. Schilling, 25, Belleville, and Mary Gassel, 25, St. Louis; P. W. Seiferd, 45, and Beulah Stillwell, 21, both of St. Louis; Raymond Lawrence, 22, and Etta Stafford, 20, both of Lebanon.

#### Belleville News Notes. -Joseph Fuers is in Hot Springs, Ark. -Miss Mand Chuse entertained friends Sunday

-Aschille Bierck has been appointed Jailer at the county jail. -Mrs. Hugh M. Dittoe has returned from a visit in Quincy, Ill. -Mr, and Mrs, Charles Abend (nee Wangelin) visited in Belleville yesterday. -The Trades and Labor Assembly will give a dance at Liederkranz Hall April 23. -Captain Fred Dilg, Postmaster of Mascoutah, has tendered his resignation, to take effect as soon as his successor can be appointed. -The will of George Reichert was filed for probate yesterday. Mrs. Ida Reichert, widow of the deceased, will inherit the entire estate.

Timpa-Bunze Wedding. County Clerk J. C. McGrath of Jerseyville issued a marriage license yesterday to Charles Timpa, aged 18 years, of Misto Charles Timpa, aged is years, of Mis-sissippi Township, and Miss Augusta Bunze, aged 19, of Godfrey. William Timpa, the father of the bridegroom, gave his consent to the issuance of the license to his son. The couple will be married to-morrow morning at the Church of the Holy Ghost at Jerseyville by the Rev-erend Father F. A. Marks.

Jerseyville Notes.

The funeral of James F. Mose of Jersey County took place yesterday afternoon at 1 of clock from the Salem M. E. Church, The Reverend Samuel Albright, pastor of the Flank M. E. Church, officiated, and the burial was in the Salem Cemetery. The Jerseyville Art Circle met in the Carnegle Library last evening and discussed "German Painters." Among the papers were "Gustav Richter." by Mayme Beatty: The Carne and Karl Circle by Miss Frances Bowman "Moore" Menzel. by Miss Nellis Cane, and Karl Theodor von Piloty." by Miss Etta Conklin.

Gilbert T. Ely of Bunker Hill, Ill. was burled at Jerseyville yesterday. The funeral took place at 10:20 o'clock from St. Francis Xavier's Church, in South State street, and the Reverend Father Bernard Lee officiated. -Editor J. M. Page of the Jerseyville Demo-crat went to Galesburg last evening to attend the thirty-ninth annual meeting of the Illinois Press Association. Editor Page is the secretary of the body

#### TO ESTABLISH PRIVATE WIRE. Mercantile Trust Co. Will Have

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In order to facilitate its foreign exchange, which, owing to St. Louis's increasing business, has grown to immense proportions, the Mercantile Trust Company has decided to establish its own private telegraph service between St. Louis and its correspondents in New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, and other cities, so that this work may hereafter be transacted by wire.

"The mail system is becoming obsolete for some St. Louis business purposes," said Festus J. Wade yesterday, and we have decided to carry on our exchange business by direct wire and have no doubt that the system will prove of great convenience to our customers."

#### TWO DIVORCE SUITS FILED. Joseph Heytman Says Wife

Wasted His Salary. Joseph Heytman alleged in his suit for divorce, filed in the Circuit Court yesterday, that his wife, Ida, wasted his salary instead of using it for household purposes. He earned from 30 to 50 a week as a paper hanger. The couple were married in St. Louis January 4, 1902, and separated hast July.

Fannie Abernathy charged that her husband, Amiel, deserted her. She asks for the restoration of her maiden name, Hightower.

## TO SETTLE FAIR CLUB DISPUTE.

Louisville, Ky.

Committee Appointed to Confer With Exposition Fraternal Building Authorities.

At the meeting of the East St. Louis World's Fair Club last night at the City president, resigned in favor of J. B. Sik-

king, Jr., who refused to accept the office Mrs. Kramer was finally induced to take the chair again. The club was organized about two weeks ago for the purpose of furnishing a room at the Fraternal building, World's Fair,

for the reception of the members. for the reception of the members.

Reports have been circulated for the last several days that the club would not be recognized by the Fraiernal Board.

The furnishings of the room are estimated to cost about \$2,000. The club members have been selling stock at the rate of \$1 a share, and it was proposed to admit no one but stockholders to the building.

It is said that the fraiernal organizations and lodges objected to this, as the club is looked upon as being an outside society, although the officers themselves are mem-

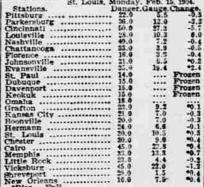
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A committee, consisting of Mrs. Kramer, president; Mrs. W. Balley; Mrs. Charles Horner, secretary; Mayor Slias Cook and Frank Smith, was appointed last night to interview the Fraternal building officers and get their views as to how this organization should be conducted.

Mrs. Charles Horner was instructed to request the fraternal societies and lodges of East St. Louis to have a delegate attend the meeting, to be held in the City Hall Auditorium Saturday night.

## RIVER NEWS.

Rise and Fall of the Rivers For 48 hours ending at 7 a. m.: St. Louis, Monday, Feb. 15, 1994.



EDWARD H. BOWIE, Local Forecast Official. River Forecast.

ionary or fall slowly during the next 25 hours River and Business. Harbor gauges yesterday marked 10.5, indi-ating a rise of .3 of a foot in 24 hours. Business along the Leves yesterday was dull. Weather clear and cold. Warmer. To-Day's Weather,

River Rialto Brevities.

—The owners of the steamer W. H. Grapevine have sued the owners of the steamer Island dity for II.09 damages. It is claimed that the Brapevine was used to protect the Island City rom the Ice at Cincinnaii. -Owing to the threatening condition of the weather yesterday the Chester and Grey Eagle did not depart on their scheduled trips to the lower river. They will go out as soon as the weather moderaica. -Captain W. H. Pritchartt of Natches, Miss., prived yesterday and will visit his brother

-Captain Charles Sloan departed last night for Thebes, Ili., where he will go on the rull-road transfer steamer Morgan as one of her

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-Captain William McClellan, who has been ill for several weeks at the Marine Hospital is recovering and was able to leave the hos-nited -Captain James Donohue will take a position to-day as one of the pilots on the steamer Mc Clellan of the Wiggins Ferry Company.

## FATHER BRENNAN LECTURES.

'Nebular Hypothesis" Discussed Before Academy of Science.

At a meeting of the American Academy of Science last night at the Academy building, No. 3817 Olive street, the Reverend Father Martin S. Brennan delly ered a lecture on the "Nebular Hypothesis." Lantern sides illustrated many of the important points of the hypothesis "The start of the universe in a nebula, as formulated by La Place in his the-ory," said Father Brennan, "was much as if a cloud of vapor started to condense by the force of gravity, and as the condensation proceeded the pressure in the

"An incandescent mass finally was pro-duced by this condensation, for an induced by this condensation, for an increase of temperature. A familiar example of this is seen in the ordinary bicycle pump, in which the air, by compression, causes the pump to become heated. The mass of vapor was hottest at its center, and a slow whiring motion was set up. This motion was more rapid at the center and the outer portion of this revolving mass gradually ceased to coalesce, split off from the parent body, and in its turn coalesced into a separate mass, which went through the same cycles as the parent cloud.

"By casting off rings of vapor, which condensed into separate orbs, the solar system, according to La Place, was formed. The molten masses of the planets were sending off heat rapidly, and soon a crust formed on those smallest in bulk, one of which is the earth. This crust gradually thickened from the interior, and in five eras, or seven ages, according to the fossils, life appeared upon the earth. First plants, and then animals.

"The atmosphere at this period was

according to the fossils, life appeared upon the earth. First plants, and then animals.

"The atmosphere at this period was largely carbonic acid gas, and as this was gradually absorbed by the enormous growths of vegetation, animal life rose in the scale. What was the origin of this life is not explained by the hypothesis of La Place."

Father Brennan made no reference to the Mosaic account of the creation, but stated the theory as given by La Place and modern followers in the plainest terms and with a designed lack of scientific phraseclosy.

Professor Nipher of Washington University then spoke briefly on theories of the formation of the universe, which went to controvert La Place's assumption that the universe had gone through an incandescent stage.

#### TO DISCUSS CONSOLIDATION.

Committee on Union of Two Presby terian Denominations Meets. The Committee on Organic Union of

the Cumberland Presbyterian and the Presbyterian churches will meet at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning in the Southern Hotel, to arrange plans for the union of the two churches.

The chairman of the Cumberland committee is the Reverend Doctor William H. Black of Marshall, Mo., while the Reverend Doctor Roberts of Philadelphia will act in a similar capacity for the Presbyterian committee.

The committee's recommendations will not become binding until they have been acted upon by the General assemblies of the two denominations. ern Hotel, to arrange plans for the union

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